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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Logistics

FROM: David S. Brandwein
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SUBJECT: Employee Parking Costs

1. Since the President's announcement that federal employees would have to pay for their parking through receipt of OMB Circular A-188 dated 13 August 1979, we in OTS have been trying to determine the impact on our employees.

2. While our situation is not unique, it is complex. On 24 April 1979 we prepared a list of questions for DDS&T that we felt had to be addressed and resolved. We have discussed these same questions informally with your Office and with Mr. Seymour Gould, GSA's State Group Building Manager.

3. Unfortunately, yet understandably, we still have few definite answers to the questions we have raised. While we appreciate the confusion that characterizes this GSA exercise, we are still feeling the pressure from our personnel to get the answers. Any clarification members of your staff can provide would be greatly appreciated.

4. We are particularly interested in your interpretation of paragraph 5f, OMB Circular A-118 dated 13 August 1979, in that the OTS complex is a privately owned facility and no specific parking areas are assigned. Does this only apply where the facility is shared between government and commercial, or could it be interpreted as applying here too? If at all possible we would like to have a member of your staff visit the OTS complex to see and discuss our parking situation.


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